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INTER-SCHOOL SPORTS AT CARSELAND SUCCESSFUL

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The third annual sports day, under the auspices of the Bow Valley Local of the Alberta Teachers' Alliance, was held in Carseland on June 1.

The weather was ideal and there was a splendid attendance of both juveniles and adults.

The following schools took part: Carseland, Strathmore, Dalemead, Namaka, Serviceberry Creek, Cairnhill and Glencairn.

Five shields and fifteen pins were awarded. The shields were won as follows: Carseland 3, Strathmore 1, Serviceberry Creek 1. Of the fifteen pins: Strathmore won 7, Carseland 6, Serviceberry Creek 1, and Namaka 1.

Appended is a tabulated list of the points won by the competing schools in each class.

A list of the winners of the pins follows:

Class I, under 55 lbs.—Boys, Martin Saddle, Carseland; Girls, Carrol Christensen, Carseland; Under 67 lbs., Boys, Charles Bremner, Namaka; Girls, Margaret Freeman, Strathmore; Under 80 lbs., Boys, B. Woodrow, Carseland; Girls, Elsie Sorensen, Strathmore.

VETERAN ATHLETE HONORED

Norman Brookes, 72-year-old veteran Australian tennis player, at present taking part in the hard court championships at Auteuil, France, has been awarded the Legion of Honor by the French Government in recognition of his efforts to promote a lasting friendship between the sportsmen of both countries.

	Carseland	Strathmore	Dalemead	Namaka	Serviceberry Creek	Cairnhill	Glencairn
Class I, Under 80 lbs.	75	70	—	17	9	—	1
Class II Under 95 lbs.	7	32	—	3	25	—	2
Class III, Under 115 lbs.	36	32	6	—	—	—	—
Open Class	44	22	5	—	6	—	—
TOTALS	162	156	11	20	33	2	3

Class II—Boys, Bert James, Serviceberry Creek; Girls, Fay Harwood, Strathmore.

Class III—Boys, Robert Moore, Carseland; Girls, (equal) B. Giles, Carseland, Germaine Giroux, Strathmore, Irene Giroux, Strathmore, Tena Glendining, Strathmore.

Class IV (Open)—Boys, Jack Crelia, Strathmore; Girls, Zelfa Giles, Carseland.

Very great credit is due to Mr. C. Douglas, Principal, Carseland Consolidated School for the great success of the day. Rowas largely owing to his very capable management that all the events were run off so smoothly.

The teachers of the competing schools are grateful to all those who helped in the work of supervising the various contests. Among these were Messrs J. French, T. Schulte, Leonard Van Tighem, Rev. Wilkinson and Mr. Hughes.

Class IA, Boys Under 55 lbs.

Ruler and Rubber Race—1. Hiram Woldum, Strathmore; 2. Don Brown, Strathmore; 3. Lawrence Brown, Strathmore.

Relay Race—1. Carseland: Richard Christensen, Martin Saddler, Kenneth Robinson, Fortner; 2. Strathmore: Joe. Harwood, Allister McGregor, Homer Schuman, Roland Martin.

50 Yards Dash—1 Martin Saddler, Carseland; 2. Allister McGregor, Strathmore; 3. Kenneth Robinson, Carseland.

Baseball Throw—1. Martin Saddler, Carseland; 2. Allister McGregor, Strathmore; 3. Richard Christensen, Carseland.

Standing Broad Jump—1. Martin Saddler, Carseland; 2. Richard Christensen, Carseland; 3. Homer Schuman, Strathmore.

Girls Under 55 lbs.

50 Yards Dash—1. Carrol Christensen, Carseland; 2. Helen French, Strathmore; 3. Genevieve Yool, Carseland.

Ruler and Rubber Race—1. Carrol Christensen, Carseland; 2. Helen French, Strathmore; 3. Francis Gray, Strathmore.

Relay Race—1. Carseland, Genevieve Yool, Carrol Christensen, Una Stinson; 2. Strathmore: Thelma Christensen, Helen French, Francis Gray.

Standing Broad Jump—1. Carrol Christenson, Carseland; 2. Francis Gray, Strathmore; 3. Helen French, Strathmore.

Three-legged Race—1. Carrol Christensen and Eloise Cote, Carseland; 2. Alice Dillabaugh and Cerydwin Tudor, Cairnhill; 3. Helen French and Thelma Christensen, Strathmore.

Class I B, Boys Under 67 lbs.

Boot and Shoe Race—1. Earl Chandler, Serviceberry Creek; 2. Martin Christensen, Carseland; 3. Bill Cole, Carseland.

Relay Race—1. Carseland, (disqualified) Burrel Cote, Bill Cole, Milton Cote, Martin Saddler; 2. Namaka, Nick Boshman, Charles Bremner, Bobby Watts, Francis Earn; 3. Strathmore, Robert Brown, Archie Frederick, Norman Taylor, Allan McDonald.

50 Yards Dash—1. Nick Boshman, Namaka; 2. Earl Chandler, Serviceberry Creek; 3. Charles Bremner, Namaka.

Running Broad Jump—1. Earl Chandler, Serviceberry Creek; 2. Charles Bremner, Namaka.

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Baseball Throw—1. Burrel Cote, Carseland; 2. Charles Bremner, Namaka; 3. Bobby Watts, Namaka.

Girls Under 67 lbs.

50 Yards Dash—1. Margaret Freeman, Strathmore; 2. Dorothy Hamar, Strathmore; 3. Marion Jamieson, Carseland.

Three-legged Race—1. Ada Wright and E. Callaghan, Strathmore; 2. Dorothy Hamar and Margaret Freeman; 3. B. Stinson and P. Lawrie, Carseland.

Relay Race—1. Strathmore, Margaret Freeman, Joan Barber, Ada Wright, Dorothy Hamar; 2. Carseland, Edna Stinson, Bernice Stirn, Patricia Lawrie, Marion Jamieson.

Running Broad Jump—1. Margaret Freeman, Strathmore; 2. Emily Callaghan, Strathmore; 3. Marion Jamieson, Carseland.

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THE SPELLING CONTEST

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The winning teams at the recent Spelling Contest, were:

Grade II, Orange Valley—Florence Allison, Doris Wathen, June Bartlett.

Grade III, Strathmore—Iola Cleeve, Joan Barber, Jean Morse, William Dixon.

Grade IV, Strathmore—Ada Wright, Muriel Anderson, Annie Rosham, Kathleen Critchlow.

Grade V, Carseland—E. Robison, Lily Ostrum, Polly Laurie, Marion Longmire.

Grade VI, Strathmore—Ted Schulte, Frederick Ridley, Stewart Lydiatt, Andrew Garrett.

Grade VII, Carseland—Annie Christ, Margaret Garnet, Florence Delnes, Esther Voight.

Grade VIII, Carseland — Douglas Pakenham, Stanley Haskeynes, Lucille Laurie, Helen Kennaugh.

Grade IX, Carseland—Bertha Giles, Grace Ostrum, Dick Bishop, Melva Cote.

Grades X and XI, Carseland—Zelfa Giles, Helen Jamieson, Lionel Gilbert, Fred Powell.

The total admission fees of $72.20 will be used to give $1.00 to each pupil on the winning teams, and to purchase additional cups for future contests. It has been decided to award a cash prize to Arthur Mc. Donald, of the Strathmore Grade VIII, for his excellent showing.

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A Surprise Birthday Party

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A jolly party assembled and besieged the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hector McGregor Tuesday evening, to offer their congratulations to the genial host on the occasion of his "sixtieth" birthday. Quite taken by surprise, the "honor guest" was quite non-plussed as to the meaning of it all; however he was soon assured that no ill wind was 'blawin'.

The guests became absorbed in some keen games of bridge, of which there were four tables in play.

At the conclusion of the games, delicious refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. N. MacDonald, Mrs. T. Schulte and Miss Strong.

Prize for the highest score was won by Mr. McGregor. Consolation prizes being given Miss McGinnis and Mr. Fawkes.

The Mayor next presented a birthday present to Mr. McGregor, the size of which, he naively remarked, was in keeping with the sixty years of the guest. The secrets of that box are not to be revealed—suffice it to say that much merriment was caused. Hidden away in a corner was a very fine gold safety razor set.

A pleasant hour was spent in conversation, after which all joined in singing "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow", and promising to be back again next year.

The guests included: Mayor and Mrs. Shrimpton, Mr. and Mrs. N. MacDonald, Mr. and Mrs. T. Schulte, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Moore, Misses Strong and McGinnis, and Messrs Crowther, Watson, Patterson, Gunn and Fawkes.

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UNITED CHURCH

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Namaka—11 a.m.

Cheadle—2.30 p.m.

Strathmore—7.30 p.m.

A supply is being sent from here to take Mr. Wilkinson's work. The Presbytery is taking charge.

Mr. Wilkinson is very ill. A consultation was held today. A special nurse is on day duty, Mrs. Wilkinson taking charge at night.

NEW BELL FOR SACRED HEART CHURCH

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The new bell, donated by Mr. E. G. Barteien, in memory of his wife, was, after being solemly blessed by Rt. Rev. J. T. Kidd, Bishop of Calgary, assisted by Rev. Fathers McAdam, and Anderson, of Calgary, hung in the belfry of Sacred Heart Church at 6 pm. on Tuesday, and will from now on peal out its call to the congregation.

The bell, which weighs some 350 pounds, was cast in Douai, France. Northern France and Belgium being world-famed for their bell foundries.

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CONTRACT LET FOR AIR MAIL

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OTTAWA—The experimental stage in air mail service is passing in Canada as illustrated by the documents that were tabled in the house of commons Saturday relative to the contracts which have been let by the government for transportation by air of his majesty's mails to various parts of the country. During the navigation season on the St Lawrence river four single trips a week will be made, Rimouski-Montreal, by the Canadian Trans-Continental Airways Limited, at a rate of $125 per flying mile. The distance is 330 miles, and the annual cost of this service will run to $49,500.

From Montreal to Ottawa, 110 miles, the same company will transport mail by air, making two trips a week at an annual cost of $8,850.

The distance of 330 miles between Montreal and Toronto will be covered for the season by the Canadian Airways Limited for $49,500 per annum. All of these contracts have been let for four seasons.

A service between Montreal and Albany has been arranged for all the year round. The Canadian Colonial Airways Limited will carry out this at a maximum cost per annum of $83,900.

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RAISE BACON HOGS, AGRICULTURE DEPT. ADVICE TO FARMERS

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EDMONTON—Because of an unlimited demand for bacon and the very limited and uncertain market for lard hogs, farmers of this province are being encouraged to raise the bacon type, according to officials of the department of agriculture.

Speaking of a movement at present on foot to import Chester White hogs from the United States, one official of the department said that farmers were advised to beware of being talked into a scheme of this kind. If they desired to go into the breeding of purebred hogs, first-class breeding stock of the approved bacon type could be supplied by Alberta breeders at a fraction of the cost of hogs of the Chester White type being brought in from the United States. "It may be again emphasized," he said, "that the breed is not a desirable one for our province and the introduction of this inferior type would jeopardize the position of Alberta pork products on the export market, where a strong reputation has been carefully built up."

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FISH STORIES CANNOT COMPETE WITH CARDS

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WELLINGTON, N. Z.—The newspapers in Wellington report that during a bridge party at Auckland each player at one table was dealt a complete suit.

In the excitement, some one laid his hand down and it was thus that the extraordinary coincidence was revealed. The newspapers say that such a hand might not occur again in 100,000,000 deals.

STRATHMORE COUNCIL MET ON TUESDAY NIGHT

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TO MARRY NOBLEMAN

Miss Lucy Crowdy, only daughter of J. F. Crowdy of Ottawa, Assistant Secretary to the Governor-General, who is to marry Hon. James Kenneth Weir, son and heir of Lord Weir of Eastwood. The engagement has been formally announced and the wedding will take place in Ottawa in the fall. The young couple will live in Scotland.

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Mayor Shrimpton presided at the meeting of the Strathmore Council on Tuesday night, with all the Councillors present except Jas. Saunders.

The minutes of last meeting and special meeting were read and confirmed.

Mr Wears has received a price for cinders from the C.P.R., and was instructed to obtain the freight rate upon same per carload.

Instructions were given to Mr. Wears to proceed with the collection of the Minimum School Tax.

The application of Look Sing and Luke Lum for restaurant license was approved.

The proceeds of the Red Cross tag day was reported as a little over $14, which will be augmented to $50 and remitted. The thanks of the Council will be sent to Miss Edith Gray of the Girl Guides for their efforts.

Mr. Ewing, the new Provincial Weed Inspector, requested that a weed inspector be appointed, but no action was taken.

Mr. Mark Crellin, one of the town tenants, reported a leaky roof in the garage, and Councillor Risdon was appointed to find out how the discovery was made.

The request of Councillor Miner for repairs to the roof of his machine shed was tabled.

Complaints about riding bicycles on the sidewalks have been received, and it was decided the practice must cease or prosecution may follow. This advice of Councillor Quirin in how to instruct the children in the matter, was not taken seriously by the members of the board, who felt that as a bachelor, he was mighty poor authority.

Mayor Shrimpton and T. M. Wears were appointed delegates to the meeting of the municipalities to be held at Edmonton June 20, 21 and 22. The Council passed the following resolutions to be presented before the convention:

WHEREAS Sec. 823 of the Town Act provides in regard to appeals against assessment that "the Council shall not call a special meeting to hear complaints, and they shall be heard at the first regular meeting;";

AND WHEREAS such a provision is quite uncalled for and causes unnecessary delay and financial loss to urban municipalities;

BE IT RESOLVED that this Convention request the Government to repeal said section.

WHEREAS sub-section 2 of section 289 of The Town Act provides as follows: "—— in computing the said fair actual value of any parcel of land only two-thirds of the value of the improvements thereon shall be included therein";

AND WHEREAS such a provision prevents, in many instances, an equitable assessment of land and improvements;

BE IT RESOLVED that this Convention request the Government to repeal said sub-section and revert to the old law as contained in The Town Act, R.S.A. 1922, chapter 108, section 257, sub-section 1.

WHEREAS sec. 290 of The Town Act exempts from assessment and taxation land belonging to any municipality when held for the public use of such municipality;

AND WHEREAS such a provision is discriminatory and unjust;

BE IT RESOLVED that this Convention request the Government to repeal clause (d) of sub-sec. 1 of said section.

Current accounts totalling about $225 were passed to finance committee for payment if found correct.

Coming Events

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The U.F.A. will hold a meeting in the I.O.O.F. Hall on Tuesday, June 12th. R. D. Purdy, manager of the Wheat Pool, will speak at 4 p.m. Everybody welcome.

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ALBERTA SCHOOL WEEK

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An "Alberta School Week" is planned to arouse the public to greater appreciation of the work and organization of schools and to stimulate a spirit of co-operation by public, parents, and school workers in the matter of education, according to a recent decision of the Educational Committee of the Alberta Teachers' Alliance, at a recent meeting.

All publicity is to be of a non-controversial character and it is planned to enlist the co-operation of press throughout the Province, in the form of intensified news day by day throughout the week, dealing with local or general educational topics and special articles by educationalists and local teachers. Special sermons on education will feature the Sunday sermons in the churches on the opening day of the week; there will be a rally of parent-teacher associations or federations as well as special addresses by teacher speakers at service clubs and similar organizations. It is expected that all parties and organizations interested in education, including the Department of Education and the Alberta Trustees' Association and local school boards may be enlisted in the endeavor, and in the schools themselves special programs, comments by teachers and exercises by pupils and addresses by prominent citizens on the value of education will be featured.

The date tentatively planned by the Committee is October 1 to 7.

The Educational Committee is representative of every section of the Province and it includes every member of the Provincial Executive of the A. T. Alliance and the following in addition: W. L. Irvine, Oyen; F. Speakman, Calgary; H. C. Newland and Miss Mary R. Crawford, of Edmonton; P. L.F. Riches, Medicine Hat; R. E Hicken, Cardston; J. Welsh, Red Deer; A. J. H. Powell, Fort Saskatchewan; Mrs. J. Jakey, Drumheller; H. C. Beacom, High River; R. E. Stewart, Olds. C. G. Elliott, Edmonton, was elected chairman.

REMEMBER STANDARD SPORTS, MONDAY, JULY 2nd, 1928

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Men's Striped Mole Pants, peg top, extra heavy reinforced crotch, belt loops, cuffs, well made.. $4.75
Striped Denim Pants $2.50
Whipcord Work Trousers $4.50
Bedford Cord Work Trousers $3.75
Men's Khaki Pants ..... $2.50, $3.00 and $3.75
Men's Extra Heavy Overall Pants $2.50
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Boys' Long Khaki Pants $1.50
All kinds of Breeches for Men and Boys.
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HEADLIGHT SHIRTS AND OVERALLS FOR MEN AND BOYS.

Thos. E. Wright

"MEN'S BETTER WEAR"

F. G. BENNETT DISCUSSES AUTOMOBILE DEVELOPMENT

KENOSHA—F. G. Bennett, distributor for the Nash Motors company, London, England, while in Kenosha for an inspection of the company's plant, was outspoken in his praise of "encouragement given the automobile industry" by the American government and is equally emphatic in his candid criticism of "the utter failure of the British government to grasp the possibilities of the motor car as an industry."

Mr. Bennett, an outstanding member of the automobile fraternity in London, is looked upon as a leader throughout England. He has represented manufacturers of American-made cars in London for the past twenty-eight years—the oldest American car representative, in point of service, in England. Mr. Bennett, an Englishman, is a keen business man, with a clear eye, a hearty handclasp, and a thorough knowledge of the intricacies involved in the successful merchandising of automobiles.

"It is three years since I have had the pleasure of visiting America," said Mr. Bennett "and most outstanding among my impressions is the comparison of the British and American governments with respect to the motor car industry today. In America your government seemingly is doing everything within reason to encourage the motor car industry, and because of the gigantic proportions to which the industry has grown, benefits accrue to the government itself and to the people at large. On the contrary we find a lack of understanding on the part of the British government that amounts almost to asininity. Just to illustrate how difficult the government there makes things, it has developed a system of taxation wherein a tax of one pound sterling is imposed for each rated horsepower. That levy, it may be seen, runs into a sizable sum of money when you consider it amounts to $140, American money, on a car with a S.A.E rating of 28 horse power.

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SPORT NOTES

AN IRISH CHAMPION

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TORONTO—The Irish champion of the flyweight and bantamweight division, Jim Hanna, arrived in Toronto. As he is to reside in Toronto he is to challenge "Frenchy" Belanger. Hanna has beaten some of the best boxers in Europe. Among his victims was Kid Nicholson, who defeated Francis Morachini of France last week for the European bantam title. He also whipped such well-known performers as Phil Lolofsky, Kid Socks, Tiny Smith, Antonio Merlo of France and the Belgian champion, Androit; also, Kid Kelly in 20 rounds, runner-up to the flyweight champion of Europe, Johnny Hill.

DEMPSEY AND TUNNEY IN SEPTEMBER?

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Various New York sport writers profess to believe that the forthcoming Tunney-Heeney battle, scheduled tentatively for New York on July 26, is just a smoke-up for another Tunney-Dempsey mill, which will be held in September. Meanwhile Dempsey is keeping fit by doing light training daily. He announced some time ago that he was through, but why the daily conditioning process? Tunney ought to beat Heeney without much difficulty, and there was nothing about his two decisive defeats of Dempsey to indicate that the latter will have a chance with him in a third engagement. That so-called "short count" in the Chicago bout prompted some of the former champion's admirers to think that the old boy is still good enough to "take" the present wearer of the crown. There is no gainsaying that Dempsey is still the best drawing card in the ring against Tunney. The box office will gladly exchange tickets for cash as long as the owners of the cash are eager to make the exchange on that basis. Somebody has said "Don't worry why a black hen lays a white egg; get the egg." That may be what underlies talk of another Tunney-Dempsey go.

WILL POST ODDS

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CHICAGO, Ill.—The posting of parimutuel betting odds before the start of each race will be inaugurated with the opening of summer racing at Arlington park, newest of Chicago tracks, will thus become the first in America to adopt this system. Under the arrangement horses will be held at the barrier until the calculators can compute the odds on each horse and have them posted in full view of the crowd. Then the signal will be given the starter to send the field away.

RUTH CRASHING WAY TO ANOTHER RECORD

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NEW YORK — George Herman Ruth's two home runs against the Washington Senators in the second game at the Yankee Stadium sent the great Bambino reeling forward to the greatest April and May campaign of his career. The Babe has 19 home runs in his batbag.

The two drives ran Ruth's total for the month to 14 and tied July, 1924, as his second best month of all time. In September last year the Babe knocked the ball over the outer barriers no fewer than 17 times for an unprecedented home run crop which enabled him to establish a new world's record.

Ruth is today six home runs, nine days and eight games ahead of his 1927 pace. On this date a year ago he had only 13 homers, and failed to gather his eighteenth until June 7.

$5,000,000 WORTH SOLD

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CALCUTTA, India — More than $5,000,000 worth of tickets are reported to have been sold for the Calcutta sweepstakes for the English Derby, which will be run on June 6.

On the basis of the reports as to the number of tickets sold, the winner will receive £262,000 (approximately $1,300,000), second will receive £131,000 (approximately $650,000), and third £65,000 (approximately $325,000).

FLAMINGO IS WELL PLAYED FAVORITE

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EPSOM, England—With the reduction of prospective starters in the Epsom derby, blue ribbon event of the English turf to be run over the well-known Epsom course on June 6, down to twenty-four as the most, students of form can now settle down to the work of dissecting the probable winner with a clearer view to their objective. Lord Derby's fine colt Fairway remains the favorite, having been champion of the two-year-olds last year. He was raced well this season among his three-year-old competitors, though illness forced him to withdraw from the first classic, the Two Thousand Guineas. The winner of that race, Sir Lawrence Phillips' Flamingo, has been installed second choice for the derby to Fairway. Other entrants in the public eye are Royal Minstrel, winner of the Craven stakes; Sunny Trace, owned by Lord Dewar, and the Aga Khan's Ranjit Singh.

One of the main questions in connection with this year's derby is how strong is the French challenge Bubbles Second and Palais Royal Second, both French owned, are entered. This pair ran recently at Paris in the Prix Lupin with Bubbles winning in impressive style. Palais Royal is a certain starter but the decision to send Bubbles will not be made until sometime today. The general opinion, however, is that regardless of whether Bubbles Second starts or not, the 1928 derby stakes will be won by an English horse.

There are, however, one or two problems concerning the most favored candidates which all turf enthusiasts will, of course, carefully ignore, as they are only out for their annual carefree flutter, but which even the casual bettor will do well to consider.

Percy Wright maintains that Fairway possesses grit and stamina to go the Derby route of one mile and a half, providing he possesses the incentive, but the latter is very difficult to arouse in the colt, which has a reputation of being lazy. This may lose him the race, particularly if he has been pressed at the start.

Although it is not without its amusing aspect, particularly among those who are not professionally connected with the turf, the question of Flamingo's ears, which he lays back ominously at times, indicates a weakness of character, and a horse with this peculiarity is not always reliable. But undoubtedly he has great fighting spirit, and his stamina is not questioned. Flamingo is greatly favored among the turf critics as possessing a winning chance, and Bert Tudor goes on record that Flamingo will win easily.

AN OLD FISHERMAN

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By Edgar E Guest

He dropped into my office with a twinkle in his eye
And a smile of satisfaction which nobody could deny,
But I wondered as I saw him what he'd come to talk about,
When he said: "I'm here to tell you that it's time to go for trout."

Oh, this life of mine is busy—all that's left me is the dream,
And the voice of this old-timer had the ripple of a stream,
As he talked of spruce and hemlock and his cabin by the brook,
Spring had set his spirit dancing—I could tell it by his look.

"There are some who lose their tempers when a big one gets away,
But not I," said he, "I chuckle, for I've had a happy day.
And I like the fish to beat me in the battle if he can
And I like to fight him fairly just to prove that I'm a man."

Though I had no time for leisure, I forgot my anxious care,
As a boy I sat and listened to the yarns he had to spin,
Which is usually what happens when a fisherman drops in.

TO STRATHMORE FIGHT FANS

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I am thinking of returning to the ring after my year's rest. I have been getting into shape this past seven weeks, and find that I shall no longer be fighting at 147, but will be able to make 135 pounds, light-weight. The weight agrees with me, and I am now down to 137 pounds. I would like to make my first appearance at Strathmore, where one can get a welcome and many friends, including a square deal under the promotion and management of Mr. J. Gunn.

I am given to understand that the light-weight title is held by the feather-weight champion of Alberta, "Mel" Cowie. Well, Cowie does not want both titles, so feel I would like to relieve him of the worry of one, so I wish to challenge him to a bout under Mr. J. Gunn's promotion as soon as he wishes, on any terms. Cowie can split the percentage any way he likes 60-40 or 75-25, or, if he likes, winner take all and a side bet. Will leave that to him.

I will close, wishing all the fight fans of Strathmore and district the best wishes.

Yours truly,
TOMMY ROGERS,
Ex. Welter-weight Champion of Western Canada

FIVE REASONS

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4. Because the co-operative principle of "each for all, all for each" is the workers' ideal which alone can bring economic and social justice, peace and prosperity, to all throughout the world.
5. Because the farm workers ought to concentrate their resources in co-operation instead of supporting capitalistic organizations hostile to co-operative movements.

SIGN A WHEAT POOL CONTRACT

ELWOOD

Mrs. A. H. Tiede is on the sick list.

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H. Hanson purchased a pure-bred Holstein bull from the C.P.R. Farm at Strathmore.

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The Namaka Locals of the U.F.A. and U.F.W.A. met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Pinkerton last Wednesday evening. Owing to the weather not many turned out. Plans were made for entertaining the U.F.A. District Association meeting at Namaka on June 12th. Mr. Purdy, manager of the Wheat Pool, will speak, and possibly the Hon. C. L. McPherson, Minister of Public Works.

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Mr. Arthur Blais had the misfortune to lose a granary and eight hundred bushels of barley, also the separator was badly burned inside. The barley and granary were a total loss. The fire is supposed to have started from a spark from the engine.

Mike Mason is now on the Strathmore telephone exchange.

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J. F. Piante has resigned as teacher of the school.

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The government analysis showed the water at the school as unfit for consumption.

CENSORSHIP PLANNED IN TORONTO THE GOOD

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TORONTO—A conference was held here yesterday between publishers, literary men and officers of the Toronto police department, including Chief D. C. Draper, to consider the advisability of appointing a committee to censor books, magazines and other periodicals against which complaints are made to the police.

After discussing the problem, it was decided to communicate with the dominion government asking them to select a committee to act for the entire dominion. In the event that the government cannot take this action an effort will be made to appoint a committee here.

The United States and England contribute most of the periodicals complained of, according to the local police.

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STRATHMORE, ALBERTA

WEIRD AUTO MAY BE HELP TO AVIATION

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BERLIN—The "Opel rocket car," propelled forward by explosion of rockets placed in the rear of the machines, was demonstrated here today by Fritz Von Opel, attaining a speed of approximately 100 miles an hour.

The car started with a terrific roar, emitting a sheet of flame and yellow smoke as successive rockets exploded.

Von Opel said the machine was not intended to revolutionize motoring, but was a step towards solution of the problem of flying at a terrific speed through high altitude with the object of making a flight between Europe and America within a few hours or encircling the earth within a day. A motor-driven airplane, he said, ceased to be effective at highest altitude because of inability to carry enough oxygen.

No attempt was made to attain maximum speed, but an effort will be made next month on a railway stretch with a car on rails to shatter speed records.

Von Opel recently said that during a trial with a driverless motor car, 430 miles an hour was attained for a few seconds.

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The drawback to the new invention is that each rocket costs a small fortune.

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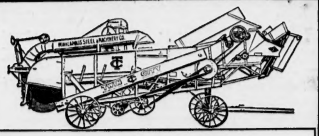

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STRATHMORE, ALBERTA

I Saw Last Week

CECIL LAMBERT making strong declarations at Yahk that Canada was a free country, and that it was Strathmore on May 24 for him or bust, TOMMY MILESON hoping that the flats at Yahk would soon be developed "TED" SCHULTE certifying that Cecil Lambert's conduct was perfect at Yahk, and Cecil declaring that "Ted" was always also good. See Tommy Mileson and get him to tell about the pair of them. GEORGE QUIRIN advising Ted Schulte that he was "slipping" badly. Can't explain the trouble in the Standard. Ask George. JIM MORAN having trouble with his staff at work—they are so popular with the ladies. REV. WILKINSON gracefully declining to referee the girls' baseball match. PERCY PARISH and BILL WILKINSON making arrangements to take up church work. Gimminy crickets, what next is going to happen. HAROLD MORSE giving his opinion of the start that Hong King got at Chinook. JACK DAMEN telling the boys how to pick the good ones at Chinook, and how to pass up the lemons. JOHNNY VAN WEEZEL arranging for a chuck waggon crew and cowboys to assist Dick Cosgrave in the Calgary movie picture. FRED DUNN coaxing John nie Van Weezel to take him up as a wild cowboy for the movie picture, but Johnnie told him he wanted real cowboys, not amateurs. JOHNNIE VAN WEEZEL looking for a lost laundry parcel. JACK McDONALD and W. FREDERICKS destroying a coyote and sixteen pups. Jack maintains that that is some record, and that he wasn't a bit excited.

Inter-School Sports a Carseland Very Successful

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(Continued from Front Page)

Boot and Shoe Race—1. Margaret Freeman, Strathmore; 2. Dorothy Hamar, Strathmore; 3. Edna Stinson, Carseland.

Class I C, Boys Under 80 lbs.

Wheelbarrow Race—1. B. Woodrow and H. Melendy, Carseland; 2. J. Williams and C. Tucker, Strathmore; 3. E. Buker and H. Bremner, Namaka.

Relay Race—1. Carseland, B. Woodrow, H. Melendy, B. Powell, M. Christensen; 2. Strathmore, A. Williams, M. French, A. Garrett, C. Tucker; 3. Glencairn, W. Jackson, R. Jackson, T. Warrack, B. Fraser.

50 Yard Dash—1. B. Woodrow, Carseland; 2. H. Dawson, Serviceberry Creek; 3. H. Melendy, Carseland.

Running Broad Jump—1. B. Woodrow, Carseland; 2. H. Dawson Serviceberry Creek; 3. H. Melendy, Carseland.

Baseball Throw—1. H. Melendy, Carseland; 2. H. Bremner, Namaka; 3. B. Woidrow, Carseland.

Girls Under 80 lbs.

50 Yard Dash—1. Bergice Whiteside, Strathmore; 2. Elsie Sorensen, Strathmore; 3. Vera Fritz, Carseland.

Three-legged Race—1. Annie Saddler and Annie Christensen, Carseland; 2. Margaret Garnett and Lillie Ostrum, Carseland; 3. Florence Dunca and Margaret Jamieson, Carseland.

Relay Race—1. Strathmore, Elsie Sorenson, Rhoda Woldum, Olive Kearns, Bernice Whiteside; 2. Carseland, Margaret Garnett, Annie Christensen, Annie Saddle, Vera Fritz.

Running Broad Jump—1. Elsie Sorensen, Strathmore; 2. Annie Saddle, Carseland; 3. Bernice Whiteside, Strathmore.

Basketball Throw—1. Elsie Sorensen, Strathmore; 2. Olive Kearns, Strathmore; 3. Annie Christensen, Carseland.

Class II, Girls Under 95 lbs.

Relay Race—1. Strathmore, Fay Harwood, Betty French, Phyllis Bower, Agnes Frederick; 2. Carseland, Marion Longmire, E. Robinson, Ruth Gibson, Lucille Laurie.

75 Yard Dash—1. Fay Harwood; 2. Betty French; 3. Kathleen Wilkinson.

Three-legged Race—1. Agnes Frederick, Strathmore; 2. Alice Warrack and Janet Fraser, Glencairn; 3. Alice Garrett and Phyllis Bower, Strathmore.

Standing Broad Jump—1. Betty French, Strathmore; 2. Fay Harwood, Strathmore; 3 Phyllis Bower, Strathmore.

Running Broad Jump—1. Fay Harwood Strathmore; 2. Daisy Wilson, Strathmore; 3. Lucille Laurie, Carseland.

Basketball Throw—1. Alice Rollinger, Strathmore; 2. Fay Harwood, Strathmore; 3. Lucille Lawrie, Carseland.

Boys Under 95 lbs.

Relay Race—1. Strathmore, Earnest Wright, Vincent Moran, Albert Crellin, Mitchell Garriott; 2. Carseland, Frank Gibson, Douglas Pakenham, Joe. Carl Peterson.

100 Yard Dash—1. Albert James, Serviceberry Creek; 2. Alfred Cain, Serviceberry Creek; 3. Jack Bremner, Namaka.

Standing Broad Jump—1. Bert James, Serviceberry Creek; 2. Alfred Cain, Serviceberry Creek; 3. Douglas Pakenham, Carseland.

Running Broad Jump—1. Bert James, Serviceberry Creek; 2. Alfred Cain, Serviceberry Creek; 3. Albert Crellin, Strathmore.

Running Hop, Step and Jump—1. Bert James, Serviceberry Creek; 2. Alfred Cain, Serviceberry Creek; 3. Jack Brenner, Namaka.

Running High Jump—1. Bert James, Serviceberry Creek; 2. Alfred Cain, Serviceberry Creek; 3. Jack Bremner, Namaka.

Class III, Boys 95 to 115 lbs.

Relay Race—1. Carseland, Carl Volzt, Robt. Moore, Fred Powell, O. Fiksdal; 2. Strathmore, Nathan Woldum, Roy Cleeve, Albert Wagstaff, Ted Schulte.

100 Yard Dash—1. R. Moore, Carseland; 2. N. Woldum, Strathmore; 3. O. Fiksdal, Carseland.

Half Mile Race—1. R Moore, Carseland; 2. B. James, Serviceberry Creek; 3. N. Woldum, Strathmore.

Running High Jump—1. R. Moore, Carseland; 2. N. Woldum, Strathmore; 3. F. Powell, Carseland.

Standing Broad Jump—1. N. Woldum, Strathmore; 2. R. Moore, Carseland; 3 F. Powell, Carseland.

Hop, Step and Jump—1. Robt. Moore Carseland; 2. N. Woldum, Strathmore; 3. F. Powell, Carseland.

Running Broad Jump—1. R. Moore, Carseland; 2. F. Powell, Carseland; 3. O. Fiksdal, Carseland.

Girls 95 to 115 lbs.

Relay Race—1. Strathmore (default) Annie Callaghan, Irene Giroux, Germaine Giroux, Tena Glendinning.

75 Yard Dash—1. F. Coonfer, Dalemead; 2. B. Giles, Carseland; 3. I. Giroux, Strathmore.

Three-legged Race—1. A. Dye and F. Coonfer, Dalemead; 1. Giroux and G. Giroux, Strathmore; Louane Bower and S. Philpott, Strathmire.

Basketball Throw—1. G. Giroux, Strathmore; 2. T. Glendinning, Strathmore; 3. I. Giroux, Strathmore.

Standing Broad Jump—1. B. Giles, Carseland; 2. I. Giroux, Strathmore; 3 T. Glendinning, Strathmore.

Running Broad Jump—1. B. Giles, Carseland; 2. T. Glendinning, Strathmore; 3. L. Bower, Strathmore.

Open Class, Girls

Relay Race—1. Strathmore, M. Hamar, P. Frohberger, I. Colby, G. Fessenden; 2. Carseland, Z. Giles, M. Ostrom, H. Jamieson, G Burquest; 3. Dalemead, E. Peterson, M. Vanderveldt, E. Dye, M. Coonfer.

75 Yard Dash—1. Z. Giles, Carseland; 2. M. Petersen, Dalemead; 3. G. Burquest, Carseland.

Three-legged Race—1. Z. Giles and M. Ostrum, Carseland; 2. M. Petersen and M. Vanderveldt, Dalemead; 3. H. Jamieson and G. Ostrum, Carseland.

Basketball Throw—1. H. Jamieson, Carseland; 2 M. Hamer, Strathmore; 3. G. Ostrum, Carseland.

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SCHOOL COLUMN

Last Tuesday there was a basketball game on the Strathmore School grounds between Arrowwood High School and Strathmore High School. For the first two periods the local girls were able to keep the score even, but in the last two periods the Arrowwood team, largely by reason of superior combination, were able to score many goals. The game ended in a win for Arrowwood by 29-9. The teams were as follows: Arrowwood, centre, E Robinson; forwards H. Vancil and V. Ingraham; guards, D. Vancil and S. Duncan; spares, A. Burger and R. Beagle: Strathmore, centre, Tena Glendinning; forwards, Florence Harriman and Marguerite Schultz; guards, Muriel Hamar and Iva Schultz spares, Alberta North and Louane Bower.

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We wish very heartily to thank the following for transporting the pupils to Carseland for the Sports last Friday: Mrs. Brown, Mrs Callaghan and Miss Hughes also Messrs Sid Moore, Craddock, Slater, Woldum, J. French, W. Mercer, C. Keeling, T. Chamberlain, R. Gray, N. White, J. Van Tighem T. Schulte and Rev. Wilkinson.

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During the month of May, 192 pupils were enrolled, of whom 95 were present every day. The percentage of attendance was 92.78, and the average 177.69.

CHEADLE

Miss Lillian Girling visited her sister here over the week end.

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Mr. and Mrs. Walter Allcock were Sunday visitors at Bob Wades.

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Running Broad Jump—1. H. Jamieson, Carseland; 2. M. Hamar, Strathmore; 3. Z. Giles, Carseland.

Standing Broad Jump—1. Z. Giles, Carseland; 2. M. Burgquest, Carseland; 3. G. Fessenden, Strathmore.

Open Class, Boys

Relay Race—1. Strathmore, J. Crellin, M. Moran, H. Garriott, J. Garrett; 2. Carseland, J. Kennaugh, B. Fields, V. Fiksdal, L. Gilbert.

100 Yard Dash—1. J. Crellin, Strathmore; 2. L. Gilbert, Carseland; 3. B. Field, Creland.

Standing Broad Jump—1. L. Gilbert, Carseland; 2. B. Field, Carseland; 3. H. Garriott, Strathmore.

Running Hop, Step and Jump—1. L. Gilbert, Carseland; 2. F. Booth, Serviceberry Creek; 3. V. Fiksdal, Carseland.

Running Broad Jump—1 Jack Crellin, Strathmore; 2. L. Gilbert, Carseland; 3. M. Moran, Strathmore.

Running High Jump—1. J. Crellin, Strathmore; 2 F. Booth, Serviceberry Creek; 3. L. Gilbert, Carseland.

Half Mile Race—1. B. Field, Carseland; 2. F. Booth, Serviceberry Creek; 3. V. Fiksdal, Carseland.

O. G. and Mrs. Craig attended an O.E.S. meeting in Calgary Saturday night.

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Billy Craig was home for a few days, and is now at Calgary, where he is going to take a position.

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The road gang has made some improvements in the roads around here, for which we are duly thankful.

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Bob Wade, Ray Miller, Rus Payne and O. G. Craig were fishing on Sunday morning. Bob Wade says they went too early and made the fish sore waking them up too soon.

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O. Edwards has four gas tractors and several horse outfits summerfallowing south of town, and they are turning over a lot of ground.

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J. G. Miller has rented the farm to his two boys, Rollin and Earl, and has bought a house in Calgary, which he will be moving into after a while.

NAMAKA

The town and district were visited Sunday by a nice rain, which, although it lasted only a short time, will help crops considerably.

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The dance in aid of the Baseball Club was quite well attended, but after expenses were paid, no funds were left for the ball team. However, our enthusiastic benedicts are making another effort to help the boys, and hope to get things going very shortly, and have the boys all enjoying good clean sport.

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Mr. Boorse was a visitor in town during the week—there must be a reason.

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Mr. Emes, of the Revelstoke Sawmill Co, has resigned his position, and Mr. Robert Pottinger, of Arrowwood, is his successor.

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The Ladies Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. L. Aitkens on Thursday, June 14.

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Mr. H. Shouldice visited town on Sunday.

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Mr. Johnson is driving a new Hupmobile Eight.

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EXPRESS AIR SERVICE WILL COME TO WEST

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Winnipeg—An extension of the air express service inaugurated in Eastern Canada recently by the Canadian Pacific Express company, may be expected into Western Canada such as now exists between Rimouski, Montreal, Ottawa and Toronto in Eastern Canada. He stated that the company was prepared to extend their air package service just as soon as permanent routes are established west of the Great Lakes.

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Heinz Sandwich Relish, large bottle	35c
Heinz Ripe Olives, 9 oz. tins	45c
Heinz Sweet Gherkins, bottle	50c
Heinz Baked Beans & Pork, large tin	20c
Heinz Cream Tomato Soup, 2 for	25c
Heinz Mint Sauce	45c
Palm Olive Le.Lys, large cake	10c

Cinch Hand Cleaner, Reg. 25c, 2 for 35c
Pearl White Naptha Soap, 21 bars $1.00
Pea Flour for making soups, tin 35c
Are you giving your month-old Chicks FULLO-PEP CHICK STARTER? It will pay you to use this great food.
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DALEMEAD

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hawkins and son, Billy, were visitors at the M. Van der velde home.

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The Junior meeting held on June 2nd at the M. Van der velde home was largely attended, about twenty-five Juniors being present. Arthur McKinnon and Margaret Thompson have been chosen as delegates to the Junior U.F.A. Convention held in Edmonton this week.

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Miss Ruth Rannie was a week end visitor at the N. Anderson home.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dickson from Melksham, Wilkshire, England, are visiting their son, H. Dickson and family, and will stay for the summer months. Mr. and Mrs. Dickson see quite a change in the country in fourteen years when they were here before.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph, who have been in the vicinity looking after their farm interests, returned to their home in Vancouver.

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SMITH NEEDS THREE STATES FOR VICTORY

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WASHINGTON, D.C.—It is the well founded fear in informed and influential Republican circles here that Hon. Herbert Hoover, prospective candidate for the Republican presidential nomination, cannot carry the country against Governor Alfred E. Smith, of New York, whose nomination as Democratic candidate seems assured, and this fear may eventually block his choice as party leader.

Secretary Hoover has identified himself with every policy of the Coolidge administration and is the popular Republican candidate. His nomination, however, is far from assured. The formal opposition to his candidacy within the party is fairly strong and well organized.

In the beginning the politicians supported Secretary Hoover to succeed Calvin Coolidge because they were sure he could win. Now that they are less confident in his vote-getting capacity they are a little luke-warm in his support. His defeat in th Indiana primaries by Senator Watson offset his decisive victory in Ohio and suggested that he might lose a good many middle western states that are normally republican.

If Governor Smith can capture Missouri, Indiana and Wisconsin, his election is likely.

Rumor still says Coolidge may be a candidate to succeed himself. This is unlikely, but the persistence of such talk is evidence that the grand old party is getting worried about the coming election.

-: Local Jottings :-

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"Ted" Schulte, Tommy Mileson and Cecil Lambert have returned from Yahk, where they enjoyed themselves for the past two months. "Ted" is a little overweight and is now getting some exercise in his garden in the evenings, and hoping to reduce to his normal weight, about 21½ stone, as Jim Gunn would express it.

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Councillor James Saunders still retains the championship which he has held for several years, for being the first taxpayer to pay to Treasurer T. M. Wears the taxes for the current year, "Let them all come," smiled T. M. as he marched over to Jos. Van Tighem's Emporium to deposit the precious ducats.

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John Akkerman took Casey Nering up to the Chinook races on Monday to show him how to pick the good ones.

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Bill Saunders wears a very "mysterious air" when you ask him when it is coming off; foxy old bird, is Bill, but it is probable that he will surrender during the month of June. He has been dodging for a long time, but it certainly looks as tough he is a goner this time.

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M. S. Hirtle is making a fine recovery from his recent operation, and has recovered sufficiently to leave the hospital, and will spend a few days with some Calgary friends before returning.

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The pupils of the Strathmore Schools are now thoroughly aroused about the coming examinations, and are bringing up their percentages to get by the examiners.

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Dick Cosgrave is arranging for the chuck waggons and cowboys in connection with the movie film being produced at Calgary. A number of Bow Valley cowboys will take part in the production.

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Hector McGregor is very much pleased with the new fence which he is having erected by contractor Anson Chase. Hector likes it because it is a "Scotch fence", won't give even a little.

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The rain on Saturday night and Sunday has brought real joy to everyone in the Bow Valley. The farmers are jubilant with the work for the season well advanced, and the moisture at the opportune time, while the business men are delighted with the prospects, which creates enthusiasm for everyone.

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Million dollar rains have put the farmers and business men in good humor and Dr. Giffen has also entered into the spirit, and is doing his share to get ready for the big harvest by presenting Mr. and Mrs A. Van Tighem with a ten pound boy on June 2nd, and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Hurd with a boy on June 4th, to each of whom their friends are extending congratulations.

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Mrs. R. C. Marshall, of Edmonton, was elected Vice-president, Mrs. F. J. Butler, Calgary, Councillor, and J. C. Noel, of Calgary, one of the National Councillors at the meeting of the I.O.D.E. at Toronto.

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Today is the anniversary of the death of Sir John A. Macdonald, Canada's first premier, June 6th, 1891, and each year the Macdonald Club at Kingston faithfully place a wreath upon his grave. Many of the members of that Club were not born at the time of his death.

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Mrs. Dewitt attended the convention of the Women's Institute at Calgary.

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Quon Gart, who has conducted the Strathmore restaurant for years, has sold his business to Luke Sing and Look Yum. Luke has been employed with the C.P.I.D., and is very popular with the C.P.R. boys. He was in business in Strathmore previously, and conducted a most successful business. Quon, who is in poor health, may return to China.

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Bill Tierney has a mathematical turn of mind, so when the bungalow contest opened in Edmonton, in regard to the length of time a certain candle would burn, the happy tailor got busy with pencil and pad, and made his estimate, which fell short one minute and ten seconds. The actual time was 10 days, five hours, fifty-two minutes and thirty-six seconds. Bill says that as he has missed the bungalow, he will now call in the contractors to make certain additions to the roof of the Tierney Block, which he discovered during the rain on Sunday.

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The Court of Revision was held on Tuesday night, when four appeals were heard. The Alberta Pacific Grain Co. were given a reduction of $500 on building occupied by R. Gray; Mrs. C. W Chase upon the building on Third Street $300; Miss Sotka, house on Railway Avenue $100, and the assessment of $3,000 upon the home of Barbor & Craddock was confirmed.

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The many friends of Rev. and Mrs. J. N. Wilkinson, will regret to learn that Mr. Wilkinson is ill in the General Hospital, Calgary. All extend sincere wishes for a speedy recovery.

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Mrs. Lambert was a Calgary visitor this week.

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Mr. Hirtle returned from the Hospital in Calgary Tuesday evening. All welcome Mr Hirtle home again.

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Mr. and Mrs. N. MacDonald have leased the house on Fourth Street recently vacated by Mr. C. A. Lydiatt, and will remove there shortly.

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Miss Audrey MacLean, of Calgary, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs A. A. Moore.

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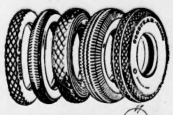
The members of the Calgary Board of Trade, who have been visiting the towns in the Bow Valley, were welcomed last week at the Memorial Hall by President T. E. Wright and the members of the local Board of Trade.



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The funeral services for the late Mrs. Hill were conducted by the Rev. T. B. Winter at St. Michael and All Angels Church, after which the interment took place at Strathmore Cemetery. The pall bearers were M. B. Garrett, C. Keeling, Nels White, Percy Wright, W. Saunders and H. Risdon. Among the wreaths were those from Leonard Hill, Charlie Hill, Mabel and Pete, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Wright, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. C. Keeling, Miss Craig and Strathmore Cricket Club.

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George Robertson, charged with forgery, whose preliminary trial took place here on 28th May, was tried before His Honour Judge McDonald in Calgary on Wednesday. Judge McDonald remanded Robertson for ten days, so that restitution might be made to those who were victimised. Mr. D. M. Stirton, Barrister, Calgary, instructed by T. M. Wears, appeared for the accused.

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CARDSTON TO HAVE $50,000.00 HOSPITAL

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Announcement is made by the Department of Indian Affairs that a hospital costing in the neighbourhood of $50,000 will be erected in the town of Cardston. Construction work will start very shortly on this building, which is intended for the benefit of the Blood Indians in that section of the Province.

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ROSEBUD

Mr. Geo. Gow has returned from a trip near Wainwright Park, where he has been spending a few weeks with his son, Logan, and D. W. Detwiler, who have purchased land there. He reports plenty of rain and splendid condition of grain and gardens.

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The refreshing showers of Sunday have done much good here, where they have been badly needed for some time. Much of the wheat has been badly blown, but may pick up with this moisture.

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Miss Marjory Clark is enjoying a three weeks holiday, the last before she completes her course in the Calgary General Hospital Training School for Nurses in October.

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Rev. P. Halstead was called to Calgary Thursday last on business.

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Lester Cox, our local barber, has purchased the manse, and will move his family in about a month.

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The Ladies Aid of the United Church met with Mrs. Hannum at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. H. Comstock, on Thursday. About 25 members and visitors were present. A special meeting of the Aid is called for Friday evening, June 8th, at the church. All members are requested to be present.

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E. N. Nicklassen is the proud possessor of a new Marmon Sedan.

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R. W. Brunner spent a few days in Calgary last week.

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R. Lees and wife motored to Lacombe over the week end.

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Several from this place are attending Grand Chapter O. E. S. in Calgary this week.

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Mrs. Charles Simpson was operated on for appendicitis in Edmonton last Monday, and at last report was doing nicely.

ROCKYFORD UNITED CHURCH

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The contest for members in the Ladies Aid was a great success. Mrs. Poole and Mrs. S. Roppel were the two captains. The report was given at the last weeting held at Mrs. Rileys Mrs. Poole reporting 28 members gained, and Mrs. Roppel 27. There is a total membership now in the Ladies Aid of 71. The losers are entertaining the winners on Thursday evening, June 14th, in the basement of the Church, at 8 o'clock. All members are to take this as an invitation to be present. Husbands of the members are also invited.

Mrs Hockin handed in her resignation as secretary. Mrs. Howick was appointed in her place, and Mrs. Black was appointed financial secretary.

Rev. C. G. Hockin and Mr. R. Dyer were delegates to the United Church Conference in Edmonton, and took the opportunity of reporting at the Sunday evening service. Rev. V. M. Gilbert is appointed to the Rockyford charge, and takes over the work on July 1st.

ROCKYFORD

On Friday evening, June 1st, a shower and dinner was held in the Rockyford Hall for Miss Paula Pust, who, on Wednesday, 6th, is to marry Mr. Kenny, of Redlands. The hall was packed to capacity by the host of friends, and the presents were so numerous that a detailed list is not practical, but they presented a wonderful testimony to the popularity of the happy couple.

ENFORCEMENT OF LORD'S DAY ACT FORECAST BY ATTORNEY GENERAL

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EDMONTON—Steps are being taken by the attorney general's department to bring home to the people of the province the necessity of maintaining a greater respect for the provisions of the Lord's Day act, according to an announcement made Tuesday by Hon. J. H. Lymburn.

The extreme weather conditions of the last two years, said the minister, had rendered unavoidable a certain amount of labor on the Sabbath both in rural and urban areas, but the department, now that conditions seemed to be more normal, would seek the co-operation of the people as a whole to more rigidly observe the act.

With this end in view the minister has written Commissioner Bryan, commanding Alberta Provincial Police, who will notify various detachments of the attitude of the department in the matter in order that the force may function in perfect harmony in maintaining respect for the clauses of the act.

The minister said that there was no attempt to discriminate against any particular calling or vocation, but that the act was on the statute books, and while discretion was allowed in times of stress, it was felt some tightening up was necessary at the present time.

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LINDY GETS NEW JOB

Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh has been appointed Chairman of the Technical Committee of the Transcontinental Air Transport. He will be in supreme command of the air lines reaching from Los Angeles to New York.

McNARY-HAUGEN SCHEME WILL PROBABLY W...

WASHINGTON — McNary-Haug... ... despite of repeated setbacks, including the veto of President Coolidge last year, the bill has been passed again by both houses of Congress. As it is written it is under consideration by the president, who has ten days in which to veto as it contains the equalization fee feature which, a year ago, he maintained was unconstitutional. Should he do so the bill can only become law by obtaining a majority of two-thirds in both houses of Congress. The vote in the lower house was 204 to 121, less than two-thirds necessary to carry it over the president's head, with more than 100 congressmen not voting. The fate of the measure is, therefore, uncertain in the extreme.

Tom King, the Canadian journalist resident in Washington, voices the belief that eventually the McNary-Haugen scheme will probably be put into effect. The idea behind it shows remarkable vitality. The farmers have found, from stern experience, that a tariff on a commodity of which they produce an exportable surplus is useless. They are determined to make the tariff effective by artificial means and have concentrated their support behind the McNary-Haugen idea of bonusing exports and relieving the home market of surpluses. A somewhat similar plan is working successfully with butter in Australia and it is by no means certain that the idea will prove unworkable, for a time at least, on the much larger scale proposed in the United States. Considerable initial momentum would be imparted by the $400,000,000 of government money which Congress is ready to put behind it.

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WOULD LEGALIZE DESIGNATION OF CANADIAN FOLK

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TORONTO—A resolution urging that statutory authority be enacted to permit the legal use of the designation "Canadian" before the taking of the next decennial census, will be submitted at the thirty-fifth annual meeting of the National Council of Women of Canada, in Toronto.

The resolution sponsored by the Ottawa local council, says in part:

"Whereas the under-secretary of state has given it as his opinion that in the matter of vital statistics, any province has the right already to use the designation "Canadian" in place of "British subject." Therefore, be it resolved that the National Council of Women recommend that the provincial government be petitioned to extend the right to use the word 'Canadian' to those entitled to do so."

This year the work of the standing committees is being stressed and extension planned for the foundation fund is one of the subjects to be discussed.

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EX-MOUNTIES ASK INCREASE IN PENSIONS

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OTTAWA—J. D. Dickenson, of the R.N.W.M.P. Veterans' association, Edmonton, waited on the minister of justice, Hon. Charles Stewart and Commissioner Starnes, R.C.M.P., with a plea for more generous consideration for the police pensioners and widows of former R.N.W.M.P. officers.

Many of the pensioners are getting on in years, it was stated, and their pensions at rates fixed when police pay was small and the cost of living lighter are insufficient under today's conditions to provide for them. It was pointed out that the increase would only involve an annual expenditure of $21,000, being $8,000 of an increase for officer pensioners and $13,000 for N.C.O.'s and men. The government will take the matter into consideration and while nothing can be done at the present session of parliament action may be taken next year for a more equitable scale of pensions for the men who gave their youth and manhood to the service of the great west in its pioneer days.

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ALBERTA FIRE LOSSES IN 1927

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Thirty-three deaths and property losses totalling $2,338,777.92 resulted from fires in Alberta during the year 1927, according to the recently issued report of Henry Brace, provincial fire commissioner. Fire waste from the burning of dwellings, stores, barns and garages amounted to over $1,500,000, or 65 per cent. of the total fire losses for the year, and it is pointed out in the report that practically all of these fires were due to carelessness in some form or other.

During 1927 a total of 736 cities, towns and villages in the Province were visited and inspected by officials of the fire commissioner's office and 687 orders were issued for the correction of defects. Convictions under The Fire Prevention Act during the year totalled 36, or 4.7 per cent. of those brought to trial.

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HEARD ON THE STREET

Music Teacher: "Always stop for rests."

Pupil: "Aw, I don't need to rest. Let's get through with it."

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Fred Dunn: "My golf game is improving greatly, I made a 36 today."

Lundie: "Which hole?"

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Teacher: "The Mississippi River is called the 'Father of Waters'."

Vincent: "If it's the 'Father of Waters', why do they call it Mrs. Sippi?"

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Lawyer (noted for high fees): "I trust you profited by my advice."

Client: "Yes, but not so much as you did."

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Landlady: "Naturally, I expect the rent to be paid punctually every week."

New Roomer: "That suits me, madam. My policy is either punctuality or not at all."

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Sandy MacGowd Scotch, pro at the Mud Corners-Chug center-Wildcat hill, Mineral Springs Golf Course, has quit wearing rubber heels, because he thinks there's too much give in 'em.

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"Do you believe there is such a thing as honor among thieves?"

"Certainly not. They are just as bad as other people!"

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Society: There took place last Wed the marriage of Miss Gertrude Wumps to Henry Ladle, both of Mud Corners. The bride is far from good lookin, and the grooms one of the leafinest pool players in town. How on earth they ever was attracted to each other, or hope to get along, is too much fer us. Tuft Wumps, the bride's father, who give her away, must have bin relieved to git rid of her at last. The groom was married in a suit of clothes he stood Brown & Black's off for. They'll probably never get their money. The ceremony took place in the kitchen of the Wumps home it being hinted that the brides two hungry brothers was sleepin off a gin session on the sofa in the parlor. This marriage unites two families the women of which minus have been outstandingly homely, and the men don't amount to much, either. We predict that the bride and groom will live scrappily ever after—at least for a while.

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A little girl was sitting on the floor playing with her dolls when the sun began to shine in her face.

"Go 'way! go 'way!" she cried, striking at it.

"You move, dear, and it won't trouble you," said her mother.

"I Shan't; I was here first," said the little one.

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Husband: "Your extravagance is awful! When I die you'll probably have to beg!"

Wife: "Well, I should be better off than some poor woman who never had any practice!"

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Jake Crust, Chug Center baker, is in a awful fix. Jake figured a big savin of dough by punchin larger holes in his doughnuts, later discoverin it took more dough to go round a bigger hole than a little one.

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The sad-looking man was talking about his experiences.

"Did you ever make a serious mistake in a prescription?" he asked.

"Only once," answered Jack Crellin, "then I charged a customer six bits for a prescription instead of two dollars."

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Wife: "Now that I have had my hair bobbed, I don't think I look so much like an old lady."

Husband: "No. Now you look like an old gentleman."

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"I understand you married one of the twins," said Bobby Hambly. "Why, man, those girls are so much alike, I don't see how you can tell them apart."

"I don't try to tell them apart. It's the business of the other twin to look out."

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"I never knew Spooks had triplets."

"My dear! He married a telephone girl and, of course, she accidentally gave him the wrong number."

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Evidence from a stanza penned by the Bishop of Ely that the clergy do not go about with their eyes shut:

Half an inch, half an inch, half an inch shorter
The skirts are the same of mother
and daughter,
When the wind blows each of them shows,
Half an inch, half an inch more than she oughter.

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A young married woman who was learning to drive a car became somewhat confused over the details and exclaimed: "But how can I think of what to do."

"Oh, just imagine that your husband is driving," was the instructor's rejoinder.

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A young man named Gannon down at Cobden, Ontario, took his girl out for a buggy ride. Nine miles out in the country the horse dropped dead. The girl said she knew she'd drop dead too; it was a terrible predicament.

"Suppose I give you a nice, sweet kiss. That will put lots of life in you."

"Are you sure that a kiss will put lots of life in me?"

"Positive, darling."

"Then, suppose you kiss the horse."

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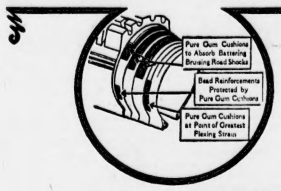
"Talking about curious golf experiences," remarked Bill Tierney, "I once saw a golfer drive a low, skimming ball across a river at Arnprior. The ball was nearly over when a salmon leaped at it and caught it in its mouth. Such was the force and speed of the ball that it carried the salmon on to the river bank where it was immediately secured with the ball tightly wedged in its teeth."



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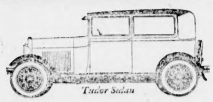
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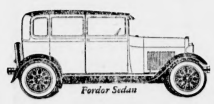
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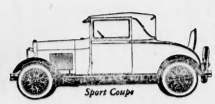
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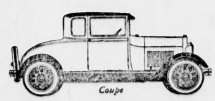
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Wheat Pool News Bulletin

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Wheat Pool elevators in Alberta will be operated on a cost basis to the patrons. This decision was reached by the seventy delegates assembled in convention in Calgary, commencing May 29th. It was decided to make this policy retroactive. The excess earnings of the elevator system during the 1927-28 crop year will be disbursed to the Pool members who put their grain through these elevators.

The change in elevator policy was recommended to the delegates by the directors and two proposals submitted. The first proposal was to eliminate handling and service charges upon delivery of the grain to the Pool elevator and deduct the actual operating cost on a per bushel basis from the final Wheat Pool payment. This method was adopted by the delegates after a lengthy discussion.

The second proposal was to make the usual elevator charges to Pool members delivering their grain and to refund to patrons at the end of the fiscal pear any excess charges over and above actual operating and overhead costs. The Saskatchewan Pool embodies this policy in the operation of its elevators.

The new policy decided upon will mean a distribution of Pool elevator excess earnings during the present crop year only to those who patronized Pool elevators, on the following basis: (1) through Pool country houses; (2) platform shipments to Pool terminals, (3) through non-Pool line elevators on an actual cost basis as described elsewhere in this article.

The purpose of this new system is to increase the volume of grain passing through Pool elevators. C. M. Hall, general manager of the elevator system, in addressing the delegates, strongly urged that members use their own facilities to the fullest extent. He pointed out that only by following this policy could the elevator system be able to function with the greatest economy, and the full objective for which the system was built be realized. This coming harvest the Alberta Pool will have close to 300 line elevators in operation and three terminals at the Pacific coast. In order to bring the greatest possible return to Pool members with the maximum protection in weights and grades, Mr. Hall suggested that every effort be made to have Pool grain handled through Pool elevators.

George McIvor, general sales manager, addressed the delegates and pointed out the advantage to the Selling Agency of having Pool grain in Pool elevators readily available to complete sales at any time. He stated that by placing their grain in their own elevators, Pool members can assist Pool salesmen to get better prices for their grain.

The new policy laid down by the Pool delegates will mean something new in co-operative effort in Canada, if not in the world. It means that members will be charged only the bare cost of operating the elevator facilities. When they haul their grain into Pool houses no service or elevator charges will be made. At the end of the fiscal year the actual operating cost will be available and will be deducted from the final Wheat Pool payment.

The decision to change the elevator policy was arrived at only after prolonged consideration. Every angle of the question was fully considered and debated.

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Lots of men are beaten according to the onlookers, when they are really victors and winners. The "thin red line" that retreated from Mons, holding the Germans back doggedly, disputing with the Hun every foot of the way, strewing the road with their dead bodies, but delaying the enemy's "smash through," were beaten by all the rules of warfare, but it is counted unto them as victory.

Columbus was beaten, according to the scoffers of his day, before he started across the ocean; he was beaten when his crew mutinied and when adverse winds delayed his ship's progress, but he emerged triumphant. The men who built the C.P.R. were beaten many a time; they could hardly give the stock of the C.P.R. away at twenty-five dollars a share; often they could not meet their due payments, or in order to meet them put their own private fortunes into the bag and borrowed right and left to pay their men and meet their other obligations. But who dare say that Canada's great railway builders were beaten?

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CANADIAN LEGION TO REPRESENT EX-SERVICE MEN

The Manitoba Free Press presents the case of the Canadian Legion request to represent officially ex-service men.

The request of the Canadian Legion that it alone be recognized by the provincial and federal governments as officially representing the ex-service men, is claimed by the Legion to be solely due to the desire to be able to present a united front and thus achieve more in the interest of the veterans and their dependents; and it is also claimed to be the system adopted in Great Britain and in the United States. In Britain, it is said, the British Legion represents the interests of all the veterans and the Legion is represented on various bodies appointed by the government. In the United States, which has a number of ex-service men's associations, the federal government recognizes the American Legion, the Red Cross, which does much work for the ex-service men and the American Veterans of Foreign wars, which corresponds to the Amputation association in Canada and deals only with a special class of service cases. The ex-service men in general in the United States are officially represented by the American Legion.

The Canadian Legion has among its members an overwhelming majority of organized veterans and it is handling something like 95 per cent. of the service work, including many applications from veterans who are outside its ranks. The service work, of course, is of great importance to the veterans and it is stated by officials of the Legion that the work is handicapped by differences and the appearance of disunion in dealing with governmental authorities. Earl Haig, of honored memory, earnestly counselled and sought the amalgamation of veterans' organizations in Canada in order that, with a united front, they might accomplish more for the ex-service men in everything affecting their interests. The union movement was not entirely successful, but the Legion regards it as a matter of practical expediency that it should be recognized by the governments as the one body with which it should deal in connection with the affairs of ex-service men. Officials of the Legion disavow any desire to dominate merely for the sake of dominating, or of attempting to force other associations to join the Legion. They say that the interests of ex-service men require a united front and that, since they are doing by far the greater part of the work, they should be allowed to speak for all veterans.

THE BELL TELEPHONE DEAL IS OBJECTIONABLE

Telephone users throughout the country will not greatly appreciate the evident desire of Parliament to grant the request of the Bell Telephone Company to be allowed to double their capital, thus adding seventy-five millions of stock upon which dividends will have to be paid by the telephone users of Canada. It is clearly the intention of the Bell to divide up this little melon with their shareholders, otherwise the amendment put forward to limit the sale of this new stock to the public at its par value would have been accepted by the sponsors of the Bill.

That Parliament should thus hand over to an already wealthy company, possessors of a rich monopoly in their field, the enormous sum of seventy-five million dollars can only mean that our legislators have become careless of the consumers and mindful of the monopolists. This money must be taked from the pockets of the Canadian people, every one of them virtually telephone users, before it can go into the bank accounts of the Bell shareholders, which clearly makes it spoliation. The issuance of this new stock to the present shareholders by way of a dividend bonus means that in future that much "water" will have to earn dividends, in addition to the stock for which money has been paid. For all time, a sum of probably seven and a half million dollars will be taken from telephone users, this counting ten per cent as the normal Bell dividend. There can be no reduction of rates, no improvement of service without extra tolls being charged; in fact, the cheapening of service and the advantage of research and invention, should this Bill pass through parliament and become law, will all be mortgaged and the children of to-day's generation, as well as the present population of Canada, will be laid under tribute to this telephone monopoly, largely foreign-owned and controlled. The public's interest should come first and rich monopolies' interests a long way after. This demand from the Bell Telephone Company, following on its recent successful request to be allowed to increase rates, indicates that, unless the people make up their minds to control public utilities like the Bell Telephone Company, the country's public utilities may control the people.

DUTCH SHELL AND STANDARD IN STRUGGLE

EDMONTON — That Alberta will shortly be the battle ground on which two world known oil companies will stage a price war is the belief of oil men all over the province, who see in the increased activity of the Royal Dutch Shell company in this province a bid for the business of the Standard Oil of New Jersey and its affiliated and associated companies.

Representatives of the Shell company are now in Alberta, and are paying particular attention to the north country. It is stated that the idea behind the Alberta activities is to get a firm foothold in the whole of Western Canada, and to this end a reconnaissance is under way in the prairie provinces.

The stations to be established locally are to be supplied from the Roxana Petroleum company, which has its headquarters in St. Louis, Missouri but which controls several refineries in the middle western states. The Roxana Petroleum company is the mid-continent company of the Royal Dutch Shell company, and oil men who are in close touch with the situation predict a real oil war in Alberta in the near future.

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John Horler, charged at Edmonton in the criminal court, before Chief Justice W. C. Simmons, of conducting a lottery in connection with a contest for estimating the length of time a candle would burn, the winner to receive a bungalow, was found not guilty by His Lordship.

His Lordship dismissed the charge on account of the section of the criminal code, under which accused was arraigned read "goods, wares and merchandise," and he held that the bungalow did not come under any of these headings.

LANGDON

The new junior clerk in the Royal Bank is F. Durant, of Dalroy.

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The official delegate to the W. I. Convention held at Calgary last week, was Mrs. W. Smith. Others who attended were: Mrs. L. Bittle, Mrs. E. Moe, Mrs. H. W. Wightman, Mrs. H. W. Jessey, Mrs. L. Lewis, Mrs. H. Dain.

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Kathleen Green, of Calgary, gave her recital ("Polyanna"), under the auspices of the Ladies Aid in the I.O.O.F. Hall Friday evening. Every number was thoroughly enjoyed, but the crowd was very small, owing, no doubt, to the busy season.

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Miss Nellie Barron, who is teaching at Castor, Alberta, was home several days last week.

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Miss Kathleen Green and her mother were house guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Bittle last week end. Mr. Green joined them on Saturday.

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Mr. and Mrs. John McIntyre, of Swalwell, have been visiting at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McIntyre, the last few days.

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Indus and Langdon played ball Sunday, and the score was 17 to 9 in favor of the home team.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Meek, of Acme, visited at A. M. McNeil's Saturday and Sunday.

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Hazel Braden and Winston Henderson will attend the Scholarship Short Course at Claresholm School of Agriculture July 7 to 14th. These two won the maximum number of points at the Langdon and Bow Rover School Fair.

RAIL COMMISSIONERS MAY TAKE ACTION AGAINST RAILWAYS

OTTAWA—The board of railway commissioners will probably intervene with respect to the refusal of the Canadian National and the Canadian Pacific Railways to permit an interline movement with respect to Alberta coal to Ontario. Several of the commissioners are said to have conferred with railway officials on the matter and have taken it under further advisement. The railways have taken it upon themselves to interpret the coal movement order-in-council as providing only for a rate for a movement on one line, and that transfer privileges over other lines are not included.

This would mean discrimination against some other line than that on which more of the shipments go into their district. It is expected that an order may be issued permitting the operators to route their coal over either line for the whole or part of the journey.

A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

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LIBERAL MEMBERS HAVE FUN AT TORIES' EXPENSE

OTTAWA—To the accompaniment of howls of Liberal laughter and angry Conservative protestations and denials, Hon. Ernest Lapointe, Minister of Justice, in the Commons presented details—numbers and nominators—of the new Conservative legal staff ushered in, Mr. Lapointe said, during the short regime of the second Meighen Government in 1926.

It was a farcical ending to a serious discussion of the degree to which the King Government had implemented the findings of the Royal Customs Commission in respect of prosecution of offenders and tax-paying delinquents. Mr. Lapointe came on to defend the Justice Department after Hon. William D. Euler, Minister of National Revenue, had made a general statement, and given statistical details to show that everything possible had been and was being done to punish criminals and collect from delinquents.

The item under discussion was the main vote of $13,472,000 in the National Revenue Department estimates and Conservatives drew attention to the Commercial Protective Association's 1928 report charging political legal appointments and "shocking" instances of secret monetary settlements.

Secret Settlements Denied

Mr. Euler denied any secret settlements; declared over 300 prosecutions had been launched in the past year, of which over 200 were successful; said the statements of the association were made either in "colossal ignorance," "sheer malice," or "lack of veracity." He declared 87 out of the 135 recommendations of the Clarkson firm had been put in effect already; 17 of the 26 cases mentioned in the Parliamentary Committee report were being prosecuted, 3 settled on counsel's advice, and the balance dropped through necessity.

Then Mr. Lapointe came on to tell of the efforts of the Justice Department to perform its responsibilities. When he came back to the Department of Justice after the retirement of the Meighen Administration, he said, he was astounded to find that the old list, by Provinces, of lawyers to be called on for Government work had gone. It was superseded by an entirely new list, embracing all the Provinces from the Pacific to the Atlantic.

There was even a margin provided in this Conservative legal list, Mr. Lapointe said, to the delight of Liberals sitting behind him, to indicate the name of the Conservative member or defeated candidate who had recommended to the Government that So and So was a proper lawyer to perform Government work.

"Read them, read them," shouted Conservative members when Mr. Lapointe remarked that British Columbia seemed to lead the list of Provinces. Mr. Lapointe accordingly read the name of Hon. Dr. S F. Tolmie, M.P., former Minister of Agriculture, and now retired from the Commons to take the British Columbia Conservative leadership. Dr. Tolmie, it seemed, had made several nominations of capable legal lights. (Loud Liberal laughter and applause.)

Din and Disorder Start

"In Alberta," proceeded Mr. Lapointe, evenly, in a House in which din and disorder were beginning to arise, "I find recommendations by R. B. Bennett." And as he went down a short list the delight of the Liberals and the discomfort of the Conservatives became increasingly apparent.

In Manitoba he found the name of Right Hon. Arthur Meighen as having provided several nominations, that of H. A. Mullen, former Conservative member for Marquette, and others. The Liberals were almost in ecstasies by now.

And in the Maritimes there were the names of R. B. Hanson, M.P., Dr. O. B. Price, Dr John MacDonald, M.P., Dewitt Foster—(Liberal cries of "Whoa!")—and Thomas Cantley—"I am delighted to find the name of my honorable friend there," beamed Mr. Lapointe, while Liberal benches and House galleries rocked with laughter. The Conservative front-benchers were sitting sober-faced and unresponsive, while the rear guard bravely urged Mr. Lapointe to "go on, go on."

Dr. Thomas Kaiser (Conservative, South Ontario urged Mr. Lapointe to "read the Ontario list—don't miss any in Ontario." So Mr. Lapointe read on, and bowed when he came to the name of Dr. Thomas Kaiser. Dr. Kaiser jumped to his feet, but could not be heard over the gales of Liberal laughter.

"Whom did I recommend? Read who I recommended," Dr. Kaiser was finally heard saying.

Mr. Lapointe read a name, and when the Liberal benches, silenced momentarily to hear Dr. Kaiser's expected denial, got no other response than Dr. Kaiser's beaming smile, the Liberals went off again into other paroxysms. When the laughter had died somewhat Dr. Kaiser jumped up and was understood to say: "And he's a good man, too."

Denies Name Ever Given

Charles W. Bell, Hamilton Conservative, was one of those to demand who it was he had recommended be placed on the list of good lawyers, and he denied absolutely that he had ever heard of the name before. It was a false and fraudulent list, and he hoped that the Minister of Justice accepted his word for it.

Mr. Lapointe—Absolutely. Not only do I accept his word, but I extend my sympathy. (More Liberal laughter.)

A. E. Ross (Conservative, Kingston) was named as having recommended Mr. So and So, but Mr. Ross's comeback was "Right, right, right," and he nodded his head across the floor to indicate that he accepted the honor, or opprobrium, whichever was to be expected.

The show went on at remarkable length and similar detail past 11 o'clock. Sometimes there were three protesting Conservatives on their feet at once, sometimes more. Mr. Lapointe, courteous as ever, acceded to every request to "read on" and "give the name" and his bland beaming countenance quite obviously had some sections of Opposition benches infuriated.

The Liberals simply never had such a night of fun at the expense of the political enemy. The tension on one side and the laughter on the other were so great that the Deputy Chairman had much difficulty in getting the House adjourned at all, and when it was adjourned—it ran on after 11 o'clock—it was with at least three Conservatives on their feet demanding that Mr. Lapointe answer some question or another.

The last question of the night, in fact when Opposition Leaders are supposed to ask what the order of business is to be "tomorrow," was from Hon. Hugh Guthrie, Opposition leader, asking the Prime Minister of the Minister of Justice could be expected to proceed today with his list, and the Prime Minister said he thought he might.

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